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The bull-dog frequently plays poor taste in not letting go; likewise the merchant clinging to antiquated methods losing a goodly per cent of business he is virtually entitled to. Sometimes the lack of facility for his institution detracts from the sales. The public must know that the merchant appreciates its patronage. If the merchant is not judiciously entering the public's interest in the merchant's welfare diminishes. Putting goods on the shelves for order is advertising, but to reap the harvest from your trouble in preparing your store you must let the public know that the goods are in, marked for sale and tell them your number; advertising in a reliable newspaper. The Herald goes to the people you want to see and talk to, and the people you would like to have as permanent customers. Instead of being in the mask of prejudice, the Herald meets the public with the spirit of progress and appeals to the intelligent mind, always the best customer. We do not ask advertising on the strength of defects of other publications, however pretentious or ridiculous, but place our service on a basis of fair business dealing with the idea of making a permanent customer of the advertiser and many permanent customers for the advertiser. Get your copy ready and let us demonstrate this argument.

The rifle brigade, commonly called marksmen, have been roaming the hill and dale in search of targets of life. Empty shells are found to them along the highways in great numbers and it is authentically reported that traffic in the county has been delayed on this account. The powder mills are working overtime to keep the local riflemen in ammunition and the echoes of artillery will not cease till the whole rabbit family has been chased off the face of the earth. With shots being fired at angles and counter angles the life of Mr. Rabbit can not be one of complete happiness. The price for young rabbits is the same as last week.

The Herald throws its columns open to the people for discussion of subjects pertaining to the welfare of Cape County and is always glad to receive signed contributions in this connection. A newspaper should not be biased in dealing with the news

and subjects of general public interest; in fact our aim is to print news that will appeal to all of our readers. However, as we depend on the people to supply us with substantial reading matter, it is to their interest as well as ours to aid us in covering the field. If some item of local interest occurs in your precinct telephone to us and we will appreciate the favor. Matter for publication with a comment should always be signed to insure publication. Good live correspondents are desired and will be well paid for their work.

The proposition of furnishing the town with a better street lighting system has been under advisement for some time and the town is now ready to furnish more lights in the resident districts. Cape Girardeau is forging ahead in general improvements and the street lighting is being carried down the line to put for a greater Cape Girardeau. It makes little difference whether the lights are put on the street or in the houses as long as the good work is moving along, and we presume the business men and residents will not object to the lights being placed upon their houses. Individual work on never supersedes the work of the whole people working together and the whole people working together is what accomplishes permanent results. There is no business man now will offer a better opportunity to get busy in the work for a large and more industrious city.

Cooley & Thom's Floating Theatre showed us a Tornado Nov. 7th to a large audience. The bill was "Under Western Skies" and was presented by a splendid cast of actors. Mr. Thom taking the star part in the play. Besides the excellent presentation of the play, the specialties between the acts were far above the average of most shows that have appeared here. The play was a very good one and the presentation was of the highest quality. The play was a very good one and the presentation was of the highest quality.

It is to be regretted that the latest experiment in steamboating between St. Louis and New Orleans has proved unprofitable. Announcement has been made to the effect that the Streckfus line of boats has been running at a loss since the recent inauguration of a new line of boats, the owners attributing this condition to the fact that merchants would rather pay higher rates and have the railroads carry their freight.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That the undersigned heirs and legal representatives of Louis Lorimier, deceased, namely: Louis Lorimier, Daniel F. Steinbeck, Victor Lorimier and S. Rodney, as guardian of Thomas Jefferson Rodney and Polly Rodney, for and in consideration of the sum of one dollar the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, and for divers other considerations and more particularly for the convenience and encouragement of the inhabitants of the town of Cape Girardeau and owners of lots in or near the same, have given, granted, sold, aliened, quitclaimed and conveyed, and they do hereby give, grant, sell, alien, quitclaim, convey and confirm unto the inhabitants of the town aforesaid collectively, for their use, benefit and behoof forever the several lots or parcels of land hereinafter described, viz: (1) The place known and designated in the plan of said town as the public square, bounded on the east by Spanish street and on the west by the street of Independence, in Ranges C and D, as originally laid off and containing our acres. (2) Lot No. 22, in Range C, bounded westwardly by a street 60 feet wide, and on the south by the street of Independence, including a spring. (3) Lot No. 20, in Range A, bounded on the west by Fountain street and on the south by Williams street. (4) All the vacant space between the River Mississippi and the front of Ranges A, B, C and D, designated on the map by the name of Font street or Acquimus; (and generally all the ground appropriated to streets and alleys throughout the whole town, as represented in the plan thereof. (5) The space on the river above the two in front of out lot No. 1 containing two acres and a half, more or less. (6) A hundred foot square in out lot No. 2, and adjoining North street, so as to afford a way to the river, and to include a spring. (7) Six acres of land, as laid off in the map of Out Lots, situated part in Out Lot No. 2, and part in Out Lot No. 32, and now used as a graveyard; with the condition that the western half thereof shall be and remain appropriated to the Roman Catholic Church. (8) An out lot marked (b) containing about three acres and a quarter, bounded eastwardly by Pacific street, and westwardly by John Seipp's purchase of six acres, on the north by Out Lot (3) and on the south by Out Lot (1) which lot including a large spring, is destined for the establishment of a Public School; together with all the singular and right, title, claim and interest whatsoever of them, the said Louis Lorimier, Daniel F. Steinbeck, Victor Lorimier and Thomas Jefferson Rodney and Polly Rodney, and their heirs forever unto the several lots or parcels of land above enumerated and described, and all appurtenances belonging to the same. Provided always that the several tracts or parcels of land thus granted to the Town of Cape Girardeau and the Citizens thereof shall remain forever affected and appropriated to the public uses to which they are respectfully intended, and that they, nor any part of them, shall never become private property. In Testimony Whereof the said Louis Lorimier, Daniel F. Steinbeck (in right of his wife, Agatha, and as assignee of Augustus B. Lorimier, and of Raphael V. Lorimier), Victor Lorimier and Thomas S. Rodney, as guardian and representative of his minor children aforesaid by his first wife, Maria Louisa, deceased, have hereunto set their hands and seals, this eleventh day of September, in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Twenty.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in the presence of B. Cousin.

LOUIS LORIMIER (Seal).
D. F. STEINBECK (Seal).
VICTOR LORIMIER (Seal).
THOS. S. RODNEY,
Guardian &c. (Seal).

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RECORDED'S OFFICE.

State of Missouri.
County of Cape Girardeau ss.
I, G. F. Siemers, recorder, within and for the County of Cape Girardeau, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and complete copy of the above and foregoing Deed, as full, true and complete as the same remains of record in my office in Book E, at Page 498.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of my office. Done at my office in the City of Jackson, this 8th day of November, 1911.

G. F. SIEMERS,
(Seal) Recorder.

S. D. POORE BENNETT, of Ripley county, harvested one hundred bushels of peanuts on an acre of ground.

The annual association of circuit clerks of Missouri met in St. Louis Tuesday and Wednesday. The best methods of conducting affairs of the offices was discussed.

Norman J. Coleman, who was the first United States Secretary of Agriculture and one of the most noted agriculturists in the West, died at 2:05 a. m. Friday in the drawing room of a Pullman while traveling near Lexington Junction, Mo.

Fall Goods

Our line of Fall Goods is now open.

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THE SHOE MAN

A RESOLUTION.
To improve Sprigg Street, from the South Property Line of Broadway Street to the North Property Line of Maple Street, in the City of Cape Girardeau, Missouri.

IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED: That the City Council of the City of Cape Girardeau, Missouri, deems it necessary to improve that part of Sprigg Street, from the South property line of Broadway Street to the North Property line of Maple Street, in the City of Cape Girardeau, by resurfacing said part of Sprigg Street with macadam and constructing along said street, where none are now constructed, granitoid curbs and gutters.

That said work shall be done in accordance with the plans and specifications thereof prepared by the City Engineer and approved by the City Council, at a meeting thereof held on the 6th day of November, 1911, and marked "adopted, approved and filed the 6th day of November, 1911," and now on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city for the inspection of the public.

That said work of improvement shall be made under and by authority of Ordinance No. 958, approved July the 5th, 1911, and the cost of all of said work shall be paid for in special tax bills issued against the property abutting on the part of said Sprigg street proposed to be improved, and it is further

Resolved, That this resolution be published for two consecutive weeks in the "Cape County Herald," a newspaper published weekly in the City of Cape Girardeau, and doing the city printing for said city, to the end that said work may be done.

(Signed.) **William H. Coerver.**
(Seal)

I, Geo. E. Chappell, City Clerk of the City of Cape Girardeau, Missouri, hereby certify that the above and foregoing resolution was presented, read and adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council of said city held on the 6th day of November, 1911.

Geo. E. CHAPPELL,
City Clerk.

FINAL SETTLEMENT NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of T. G. Phillips, deceased, that I, the undersigned, intend to make final settlement of the estate of said deceased at the next term of the Probate Court of Cape Girardeau County, Missouri, to be held at Jackson, Missouri, beginning on the 13th day of November, 1911.

WM. WISSMAN, Executor.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.
State of Missouri,
County of Cape Girardeau ss.
In the Circuit Court, January Term 1912.

Charles Thomas and Amelia Schmidt, plaintiffs,
vs.
Elizabeth Kassell, Geo. Thomas, Mary M. Mabrey, William Thomas, Sophia Kynion, Rosa Siebert, Bertha Siebert, Moses Thomas, Wilson Thomas, Josephine Thomas, John Thomas and William H. Mollenhour, Defendants.

Now at this day comes the plaintiff by their attorneys, Geo. D. Hays, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the following named defendants, William Thomas, Josephine Thomas, John Thomas, Mary M. Mabrey and Wilson Thomas, cannot be summoned in this action, it is ordered by the Court that publication be made, notifying them that an action has been commenced against them by a petition in partition in the Circuit Court of Cape Girardeau County, in the State of Missouri, wherein it is alleged that the above-named persons, as heirs of John P. Thomas, deceased, are tenants in common, along with the other parties, plaintiffs and defendants herein, in the following described real estate: Forty acres, in the North-west quarter of the South-west quarter of Section twenty-seven (27), Township thirty-one (31), Range eleven (11) East, in Cape Girardeau County, Missouri; and that they each have and own an undivided interest in the same; and said petition asks for the respective interests of said parties adjudged and decreed by the Court and asks that said real estate shall be partitioned among the parties hereto according to their respective interests; and that unless the said defendants be and appear in this Court at the next term thereof to be begun and holden at the Court house in the City of Jackson, on the first day of January, next, and on or before the first day of said term if the term shall so long continue, and if not, then on or before the last day of said term answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed and judgment will be rendered accordingly; and it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published, according to the provisions of the Act in that behalf made.


H. L. HOFFMEISTER,
Circuit Clerk.
A True Copy from the Record.
Witness my hand and the seal of the Circuit Court of Cape Girardeau County, this 28th day of October, 1911.

A Remarkable Growth.
George Bobbi brought to this office last Tuesday a cotton plant grown from seed picked out of some cotton raised by the mother of E. H. Holderness, in Clinton county in 1862, and saved by her, as stated in an article in our paper last spring. This plant is about five feet high and has 169 bolls and squares.

The remarkable thing about this cotton plant is the fact that it was produced by seed almost 50 years old. The seeds were not so thoroughly well authenticated one would be inclined to doubt the germinating of seed so long after maturity. But there is no shadow of doubt in this case. Grandma Holderness, as she is affectionately called by her neighbors and friends, has had the little bunch of cotton in her possession since it was picked in 1862. — Bloomfield Vindicator.

According to reports much uneasiness is felt by parents on account of diphtheria, which has developed in the schools to an extent that many students will be forced to throw aside their studies till the disease subsides. It is feared that serious results may materialize on account of the headway it is making in the city, but the local physicians are doing all in their power to put a stop to the disease and it is hoped that the serious reports of it usually follow scares of this kind will not assert themselves.

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